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## I-405/I-710 FULL CONNECTOR CLOSURES

### Northbound and Southbound San Diego Freeway (Interstate 405) Connector Closures to Northbound I-710

**NORTH LONG BEACH:** The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will conduct full connector closures tonight at the northbound and southbound San Diego Freeway (I-405) to northbound Long Beach Freeway (I-710).

Full freeway connector closures will take place at the following locations and times:

#### **Northbound and southbound I-405 connector to northbound I-710**

Tonight, October 8, 2009 – 7 p.m. to 6 a.m.

Signed detours will be posted.

The work is part of the I-710 Long Life Pavement Project from I-405 to Firestone Boulevard to rehabilitate nine miles of aging pavement, install concrete median barriers, a soundwall and Changeable Message Signs and widen shoulders and bridge undercrossings, where possible. The project will provide a roadway with several decades of service life, improved pavement performance and a smoother ride for the traveling public. The contractor for this \$164.5 million project is Atkinson Construction.